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Sir

In response to the Office Action mailed October 23, 2007, a petition for extension of time being filed herewith, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification: As reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims: as reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: NONE Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.